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RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Annual Report

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OF THE

Medical Officer of Health

For the Year 1941.

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To:—

**The Chairman and Members of the
GOOLE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.**

The Minister of Health has intimated that a short
Interim Report only should be prepared for the year 1941.

W. BERTRAM HILL,
Medical Officer of Health.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

			Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Erysipelas	Cerebro- Spinal Fever
Average for 5 years (1934—38)	....		8.5	16.8	2	—
1939	....	....	13.	15.	1	—
1940	....	....	4.	12.	2	—
1941	....	....	19.	7.	1	2

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNISATION.

Immunisation is being actively carried out in all the
Schools in the Rural District.

TUBERCULOSIS.

				Pulmonary	Non-Pulmonary
Average for 5 years (1934—1938)	....	....		5.5	1.4
1939	....	....	....	2.	2.
1940	....	....	....	2.	1.
1941	....	....	....	11.	1.

MINOR INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

A few Cases of Measles were notified and about 40 Cases of Whooping Cough in the Parishes of Cowick, Pollington and Rawcliffe.

GOVERNMENT EVACUATION SCHEME.

At the end of the year there were remaining in the District:—

(a). Unaccompanied Children	....	....	....	....	327
(b). Mothers (39) with Children (77)	....	....	....	....	116
(c). Aged and Others	....	....	....	....	17

VITAL STATISTICS.

	Goole Rural District	England and Wales
Death Rate	11.2	12.9 per 1,000
Birth Rate	17.0	14.2 „ „
Zymotic Death Rate	.32	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis Death Rate	.43	
Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis Death Rate	.10	
Cancer Death Rate	1.4	
Respiratory Death Rate	.65	
Infantile Mortality Rate	67.0	59.
(i.e., Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 Births)		

TABLE II.—Cases of Infectious Disease notified during the year 1941.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASE.	NUMBER OF CASES NOTIFIED.										TOTAL CASES NOTIFIED IN EACH PARISH.									
	At all Ages—Years.										TOTAL CASES NOTIFIED IN EACH PARISH.									
	At all Ages	Under 1	1 and under 5	5 and under 15	15 and under 25	25 and under 45	45 and under 65	65 and upwards	TOTAL CASES REMOVED TO HOSPITAL	Ousefleet	Swinefleet	Pollington	Snaith	Rawcliffe	Hook	Gowdall	Airmyn	W Cowick	E Cowick	G Fields
Small-pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cholera (C)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plague (P)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diphtheria (including Membranous Group)	19	...	...	2	13	1	...	...	19	1	...	...	3	4	1	...	...	4	7	...
Erysipelas	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	1	2
Scarlet Fever	7	...	2	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhus Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Enteric Fever...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Relapsing Fever (R) Continued Fever (C)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Polionyelitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(Opthalmia Neonatorum	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	11	...	...	1	2	5	3	...	...	3	...	...	2	4	1	...	1	...	...	...
Other forms of Tuberculosis	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Measles	13	...	6	7	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	6	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
German Measles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Primary Pneumonia	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Influenzal Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping Cough	38	1	20	16	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	5	...	1	3	10	...	...
Dysentery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trench Fever...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Acute Polio Encephalitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Encephalitis Lethargica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	96	4	30	42	4	10	6	...	29	4	7	21	9	19	4	1	4	16	9	2